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1.(SBU) Foreign Ministry Americas Department Deputy Director Vu Viet Dung told Political Counselor January 29 that Prime Minister Dung had authorized USD 50,000 to Haiti. He was uncertain when the assistance would arrive in Haiti. Dung confirmed earlier reports that Vietnam also would provide in-kind assistance in the future, including foodstuffs (presumably rice) and other supplies.
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